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BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

In re Appln of:)
Marc ALIZON et al.) Group Art Unit: 1648
Application No.: 10/076,370) Examiner: Jeffrey S. Parkin
Filed: February 19, 2002)
For: A VARIANT OF LAV VIRUSES)

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

NOTICE OF APPEAL UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 41.31

Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Appeals from the decision dated April 22, 2005, of the Examiner. The items checked below are appropriate:

1. A Petition for extension of time to further extend the period for response to October 22, 2005 is enclosed together with a fee of \$1,020.00.
2. The Appeal Fee of \$500.00 is enclosed.
3. A check for \$1,520.00 to cover the above fees is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

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Respectfully submitted,

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Dated: October 21, 2005

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